Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace the title on page 1, lines 2-3, with the following replacement title:

IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS <u>FOR EXECUTING A PLURALITY OF JOBS</u>
AND METHOD OF CONTROLLING THE APPARATUS

Page 2, second paragraph (line 7)

An image forming apparatus executing a plurality of JOBS comprising:

Page 3, paragraphs 1-6, (lines 6-27)

a second judgment section which checks whether or not the JOB judged in the first judgment section is the above copy JOB when the judgment result thereof of the first judgment section is positive;

a first control section which registers the above copy JOB into the first register when the judgment result of the second judgment section is positive;

a second control section which registers the JOB judged in the first judgment section into the second register as a saved JOB when the judgment result thereof of the first judgment section is negative;

a third judgment section which checks whether or not the number of copies for the JOB judged in the second judgment section is less than a predetermined reference number when the judgment result thereof of the second judgment section is negative;

a third control section which registers the JOB judged in the third judgment section into the third register as a priority JOB when the judgment result thereof of the third judgment section is positive;

a fourth control section which registers the JOB judged in the third judgment section into the fourth register as an ordinal JOB when the judgment result thereof of the third judgment section is negative;

Page 9, last paragraph (lines 18-27) continuing on page 10 (lines 1-2)

The electrostatic latent image on the photoconductive drum 20 is developed with a developer (toner) by the developing unit 22. This developed image is transferred to the paper

sheet P by the transferring unit 23. The paper sheet P onto which the developed image is copied is separated from the photoconductive drum 20 by the stripping unit 24. Developer and an electric charge remain on the surface of the photoconductive drum 20 after the paper sheet P is removed. The remaining developer is removed by the cleaner 25. The remaining electric charge is eliminated by the static eliminator [[28]] <u>26</u>.

Page 11, last paragraph (lines 26-27) continuing on page 12 (lines 1-9)

The scan controller 90 is connected with the ROM 91 for storing a control program, the RAM 92 for storing data, a shading correction section (SHD) 93, a CCD driver 94, a scan mode driver 95, an exposure lamp 5, the automatic document feeding device 40, and a plurality of document sensors 11. The CCD driver 94 drives the CCD 10. The scan motor driver 95 drives a scan motor 96 for driving a carriage. The automatic feeding device 40 has a document sensor [[43]] for detecting the document D set in the tray 41 and its size.

Page 12, last paragraph (lines 13-27)

The print controller 100 is connected with the ROM 101 for storing a control program, the RAM 102 for storing data, a laser driver 103, a polygon motor driver 104, a main motor driver 106, a cassette detecting unit 108, and a paper detecting unit 109. The laser driver 103 drives the laser unit 27. The polygon motor driver 104 drives a motor 105 of a polygon mirror for making the laser beam B scan the photoconductive drum 20. The main motor driver 106 drives the main motor 107 that is a driving source of the photoconductive drum 20 and a paper conveyer mechanism. The cassette detecting unit 108 detects that the respective paper cassettes 30 are set. The paper detecting unit 109 detects whether or not paper is accommodated in the respective paper cassettes 30.

Page 13, third paragraph (lines 16-21)

As illustrated in FIG. 5, the system controller 70 is provided with the control section for the copy mode, the control section for the printer mode, and the control section [[70c]] for the facsimile mode, as the main function, and is also provided with the following sections (1) to (12).

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